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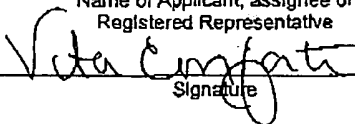
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

WILLIAMSON, Will F. and RHODES,  
Blaine

Serial No. 09/299,068

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For NON-PHOSPHOROUS, NON-  
METALLIC ANTI-WEAR  
COMPOUND AND FRICTION  
MODIFIER

Examiner: M. Medley

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## SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the application as follows. Please enter the present Supplemental Preliminary Amendment before the calculation of any fees.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

4. (Amended) The anti-wear compound of claim 3 wherein the second moiety is selected from the group consisting of sorbic acid, sorbic anhydride, tetrahydrophthalic anhydride, tetrahydrophthalic acid, salicylic acid, salicylic anhydride, acrylic acid, acrylic anhydride, C<sub>1-10</sub> alkyl, C<sub>2-10</sub> alkenyl, or C<sub>1-10</sub> alkoxy derivatives of the foregoing acids and anhydrides, and

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